## CITY OF WASHINGTON, SATURDAY MORNING, JUNE 20, 1857.

The Organization of the Executive Departments

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The following is a brief indication of the duties of these several offices, and of the force employed therein, respectively:

Secretary's Office.—Hon. Howell Cobb, Secretary of the Treasury; Hon. Philip Clayton, Assistant Secretary; one engineer in charge; one architect, and three drangitismen temporarily employed, and twenty-three clerks. The Secretary of the Treasury is charged with the general supervision of the first transactions of the government, and of the execution of the laws concerning the commerce and navigation of the Luited States. He superintends the survey of the coast, the light bonse establishment, the marine hospitals of the United States, and the construction of certain public buildings for custom-houses and other purposes.

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First Completeller's Office.—Hen. William Medill, Compiroller, and fifteen clerks. He prescribes the mode of keeping and rendering accounts for the civil and alignomatic service, as well as the public lands, and revises and certifies the balances arising thereon.

Second Completeller's Office.—John M. Brathcad, eeq., Comptroller, and sevention clerks. He prescribes the mode of keeping and rendering the accounts of the army, navy, and Indian departments of the public service, and revises and certifies the balances arising thereon.

Office of Commissioner of the Centons.—High J. Anderson, esq., Commissioner, and eleven clerks. He prescribes the mode of keeping and rendering the necessary of the customs revenue and disbursements, and for the building and repairing custom-bases, &c., and revises and certifies the balances arising thereon.

First Andion's Office.—Thornas L. Smith, esq., First Andior, and bineton clerks. He receives and adjusts the accounts of the customs revenue and disbursements, appropriations and expenditures on account of the civil list and under private acts of Congress, and reports the balances to the Commissioner of the Oustoms and the First Compitedly, respectively, for their decision thereon.

Second Andion's Office.—Thornas J. D. Foller, Second Andion, and accounts relating to the pay, clothing, and recruiting of the army, as well as armories, areasis, and orthence, and all accounts relating to the induan department, and reports the balances to the feeding the food of the pay, clothing, and recruiting of the army, as well as armories, areasis, and orthence, and all accounts relating to the induan department, and reports the balances to the feeding the feed to the three.

Third Andion's Office.—Beliert J. Atkinson, esq., Third Anditor, and nanagement of the Naval Asylum.

Burean of Canstruction, Equigment, and Repair.—John Lenthall, esq., thief of the burean, eight elerks, and one draughtsman. The office of the engineer-in-chief of the mavy, Daniel B. Martin, esq., is attached to his burean, who is assisted by three assistant engineers. This burean are charge of the building and repairs of all vessels-of-war, purchase Canterials, and the provising of all vessels with their equipments, asids, andones, water-tasks, &c. The engineer-in-chief superintends as construction of all marine steam engines for the navy, and, with he approval of the Secretary, decides upon plans for their construction.

Fifth Auditors Office.—Marray McConnet, esq., Fifth Auditor, and aix clerks. He receives and adjusts all accounts for diplomatic and similar services performed under the direction of the State Depart-nent, and reports the balances to the First Comptroller for his decision there.

Hon. J. B. Floyd, Secretary of War; W. R. Drinkard, chief clerk, even subordinate clerks, two measurgers, and four watchmen. The llowing bureaux are attached to this department:

Adjutant General's Office.—Oh. Samuel Cooper, Adjutant General, Assistants—Brevet Major E. D. Taemsend, Brevet Capt. S. Williams, and Rievet Capt. J. F. Geresche. Judge Advocate, Brevet Major John F. Lee; thus clerks and one messenger. In this office are kept all the records which refer to the personnel of the army, the rolls, &c. It is here where all military commissions are made out.

Overland Mail Route to California

11. A modification of a bid in any of its essential terms is tantamount to a new bid, and cannot be received, so as to interfere with a regular competition, after the last hour set for receiving bids.

12. Postmasters are to be careful not to certify the sufficiency of guarantors or sureties without knowing that they are persons of sufficient responsibility; and all bidders, guarantors, and sureties are distinctly notified that, on a failure to enter into or perform the contracts for the service proposed for in the accepted bids, their legal liabilities will be embreed against them.

13. Present contractors, and persons known at the department, must, equally with others, prosure guarantors and certificates of their sufficiency substantially in the forms above prescribed. The certificates of sufficiency must be signed by a postmaster, or by a judge of a court of record.

AP 21—Sawt1stJunet AARON V. BROWN,

Washington, January 1, 1867.

JOHN D. BARROW and HENRY HOLMES are
this day admitted as partners in the Banking House of
Chubb Brothers. The firm from this date will be composed of Cluss.
S. J. Chubb, John B. Barrow, and Henry Holmes. The House in Davenport, lows, is composed of Charles St. J. Chubb, Wm. H. Dongal,
and Alexander H. Barrow, under the firm of Chubb Brothers, Bar-

The studies of the studies of the studies of the studies of the studies at this incitation commences on the 24th August, and terminates on the last Thursday in June. The terms for board and terminates on the last Thursday in June. The terms for board and terminates on the last Thursday in June. The terms for board and tellion are \$150 per annum, payable semi-annually in advance. There are extra charges for mesic, drawing, painting, and also for Spanish, Bailan, German, and Lain. The terms for the primary department, composed of pupils under nine years of age, are \$100 per annum, payable bail-yearly in advance.

Letters of inquiry should be addressed to the MOTHER SUPERIOR of St. Joseph'a Academy, Kumiltaburg, Frederick county, Maryland.

A RNY'S CONFECTIONARY, No. 84 Bridge street, Georgetown, D. C., where all kinds of entertainmen furnished, with the best ice creams, cakes, water ices, con-ary, i.e., at the shortest notice, and on the most moderate likelal awarded at the last exhibition of the Metropolitan Media

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Jewellers, 324 Pennsylvania avenue,
Between 9th and 10th streets

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ED CAPITAL, ONE MILLION TWO BUNDRED AND FIFTY

Authorized Cigital and Aues, \$1,473,057 07.

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JAMES M. WEST, Assistant Secretary.

Insurance may also be effected at the Home Office,
Northwest corner of Walnut and Second streets, Philadelphia

TO LEASE, for a term of years, the mansion of the

ipal cities of the United States by aut

NOTICE TO ROAD CONTRACTORS.—It

the intention of the board of directors of the Washington and Bockville Turnpike Company to gravel the road from the first toll-gate to its terminus at the Bistrick line, contractors are requested to address or apply to the undersigned on the subject on or before the 15th of April next.

No. 30 Louisiana avenue.

J. C. LEWS,

Feb 24—3ktwff

Seventh street.

Washington Branch Railroad.

TRAINS leave Washington for Baltimore—
At 6 and 8½, a. m., and 3 and 4½, p. m.
Leave Baltimore for Washington—
At 4½ and 9½, a. m., and 3 and 6¼, p. m.
On Sunday at 4½, a. m., and 3 and 6¼, p. m.
On Sunday at 4½, a. m.
Passengers for Philadelphia and New York will take trains at 6, 8½, and 4½.

Passengers for Annasolis will take trains at 8, 8½,

and 445.

Passengers for Annapolls will take trains at 855 and 456.

Do. for Norfolk " 855 and 3.

Do. for the West " 6 and 455, connectl at Washington Junction.

T. H. PARSONS, Agent.

H. GILLET, Counsellor at Law, has removed the bis office to his residence in Franklin Row, corner of K and Thirtecuth streets. He will continue to devote his attention principally to cases in the United States Supreme Court.

Having devoted much time to the law concerning patents, he will give odvice and opinions on legal questions arising in cases before the latent Office, and on appeals to the chief justice or assistant justices of the Instrict of Columbia; and will also assist in the preparation and trial of suits concerning patents.

He will also give written opinions and prepare arguments for partice having claims before Congress or either of the departments; and will also prosecute claims before any board established for their adjudication.

ENERAL WESTERN LAND OFFICE.—Fillmore, Osborn, & Co., corner Main and Second streets, (upstairs), nearly opposite the Julion House, Dubque, lows; Broom, to-orn, & Co., 30 Clark street, Chicago, Illinois; Broom, Hussey, & Co., Keckek, Jowa, real estate agents, stock and exchange brokers, will give their prompa stemilion to the sale of real estate, stocks, and bonds; loans negotiated; money invested; locating lands, either with cash or warrants. Will locate on times, joint account, or on commission.

Every location is made from personal examinations only. Taxes pull, &c., &c., &c.

N. B.—All property left with us for sole will, if required, be placed upon our registers at Chicago and Keckuk, as well as here, giving the seller three markets. Correspondence solicited.

Ap 28—43m

United States Mail. VIRGINIA.

Post OFFICE DEPARTMENT, June 8, 1857.

PROPOSALS for carrying the mails of the United States from 1st September, 1857, to 30th June, 1859, on the indowing route in the State of Visious a, and in the times herein specified, will be received at the Contract Office of this department until 3, p. m., of the 24th day of July next, to be deckied on the following day:

TAYLOR AND MAURY's half-dollar Bibles, Engand to archesque gill. Price 50 cents. TAYLOR & MAURY,

CLASS 2.—Eurologes.

Item 1. 500 M adhesive envelopes, white, yellow, or buff-colored, heavy, smoth, and thick, with full pockets, official sizes, of the three following sizes: 8½ by 3½, 9 by 4, and 10 by 4 inches; price to be named for each size and color of the best quality that is made

2. 100 M full-pocket adhesive envelopes, of the proper size for quarto post, white, yellow, or buff, heavy, smooth, and thick, of the very heast quality.

3. 100 M full-pocket adhesive envelopes, of the proper size for the note paper, white, yellow, or buff, heavy, smooth, and thick, of the very best quality.

Each color of each item of the above class must be accompanied by a sample of one package, and the price must be stated for each size and color. They must all be made adhesive, and gummed a proper distance each side of the centre lappels, with full pockets, and the lower lappels well and securely gummed to the pocket.

gold pens of the best kind and quality man 1. 10 decen gold pens of the best kind and quanty manufactured
2. 10 decengold pens in silver cases, with ever pointed pencils of the best kind and quality manufactured
3. 500 decent acted pens of the best metallic pens, price to be per decent cards
4. 500 decent acted pens of the best makers and quality
5. 50 decent plattua pens
7. 50 decen altouta pens
8. 20 in quills of the very best quality
9. 20 dozen brouze initiation quill pens.
10 decent pens of class 3, except item 3, in the above class, the bidder is not restricted to a particular manufacture, but samples of different makers, with the price of each, may be submitted, and the department will select which it deems the best, the price, quality, and fitness for the service being all considered.

300 dozen Faber's best black lead pencils, Nos. 1, 2, and 3
300 dozen of the best quality of block lead pencils without
reference to the maker's name
30 dozen red and blue lead pencils of the best quality
20 dozen ivery propelling pencils, of Mears, or others of
like quality, with box of lead for each.

CLASS 5 .- Ink, Ink Stands, and Wafers. 12 dozen Fry's improved patent American inkstand 12 dozen cast-iron inkstands 12 dozen red inkstands with ground-glass stoppers 20 gallons best ink, the department to have the choice of

7. 5 gallons best red ink, the department to have the of the market

8. 100 bottles beat blue ink, sample to be submitted

9. 300 bottles carmine ink, French, small size, in garment in the state of th

CLASS 6.—Cuttery and Micellaneous Articles.

1. 20 dozen Rodgers's & Sons, genuine or equal, spring erasers with ivery handles
2. 50 dozen Rodgers's & Sons, genuine or equal, spring erasers with ivery handles
3. 12 dozen ivery-handled wafer stamps
4. 6 dozen large office shears of the very best quality
5. 6 dozen office scissors of the very best quality
6. 100 speeds of the best quality of red linen tape
7. 106 dozen of the best quality of red linen tape
8. 50 dozen silk tape of assoried colors, in hanks
9. 6 dozen like tape of assoried colors, in hanks
10. 6 dozen lignumvike pounce boxes
10. 6 dozen lovey pounce boxes
11. 6 dozen coos or box and sand boxes of the best shape and quality
12. 6 dozen coos or box and wafer boxes of the best shape and quality
13. 50 pounds prepared India rubber, of suitable sizes
14. 200 quarts black sand
15. 50 ounces pounce
16. 200 pounds strong linen twine
17. 12 dozen round rulers, assorted
18. 12 dozen flat rulers, assorted
18. 12 dozen conserved pen-holders
20. 50 dozen barrel pen-holders
21. 50 dozen barrel pen-holders
22. 50 dozen barrel pen-holders
23. 50 dozen pen-holders, assorted
24. 50 boxes small eylets, French
25. 25 boxes large cylets, French
26. 10 dozen steel dipped pen-handles.
For all the articles in class 6 suitable and convenient samples must include the delicery of the articles at the department.

May 5—lawt30thJune Class 6.—Cutlery and Micellancous Articles.

COMPLETION of Panama Railroad.—Reduction of fare to California.—United States mail steamships leave New York for Aspinwall on the 5th and 20th of each month, connecting with mail steamers from Panama to San Francisco.

These steamships have been inspected and approved by the Navy Department, and guaranty speed end safety.

The Panama railroad (47 milles long) is now completed from cocan not ocean, and is crossed in 3 or 4 hours. The bagange of passengers are is checked in New York through to San Francisco, and passengers are conserved at Panama by steamers at the company's excesse. The

entirely reliable.

Passengers leave Panama the same day they arrive at Aspinwall.

Conductors go through by each steamer, and take charge of women and children without other protectors.

For through tickets at the lowest rates apply at the agency, 177 West street. New York, to

May 6—dif

TO OUR SUBSCRIBERS.

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Brilliant Schemes for June, 1857.

GREGORY & MAURY, MANAGRES,

Class P, for 1857.

\$50,000 ! Lottery far the benefit of the STATE OF DELAWARE,

\$40,000 Lottery for the benefit of the STATE OF DELAWARE.

Orders for tickets and shares and certificates of packs above splendid lotterics will receive the most prompt at an account of each drawing will be sent immediately after all who order from me. P. J. BUCKEY, Agent,

George C. Thomas,

May 16-1y Seventh street, No. 490.

J. MIDDLETON, Ice dealer, office and depot southwest corner of F and Twelfth streets, Washington, B. C.

Select Classical School at Oxford, North Caro-

SINCE the establishment of this school in January, 1851, by the present principal, Janes H. Horner, A. M., it has received a large and steadily increasing measure of the public favor, as attested by an extensive patronage from abroad and its annual delegation of matriculates to the University, at Chapel Hill. Here after it will be conducted under the joint supervision of Mr. Horner and Professor A. G. Roven, late of the said University, who has been many years a teacher of the ancient classics in that institution. Rev. T. J. Horner will continue to be an assistant instructor, and others well qualified for the office appointed as occasion may require.

The plan of stadies is designed to prepare young men for advanced classes in college, and also to fit those who may not expect or desire to obtain the benefit of a fall collegiate course for respectable stations in life by instruction in the ordinary branches of a sound English education. For the sake of the greatest efficiency, the number of classes will be limited, so that ample time may be devoted to examination and lecture apont the subject of every lesson by each instructor in his own department.

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three will be taken also to adapt the text books and modes of instruction to the latest advancement of knowledge in each of the several branches. While the methods recommended by experience shall be consistently preserved, no expense will be spared to provide the best apparatus for the work.

Important arrangements are in preparation to increase the advantages and promote the permanent success of the schools.

The instructors are unives of North Carolina, have been long engaged in the profession, and are authorized to refer those who may desire further information as to their personal or official qualifications to many distinguished citizens of this and other States in the South. Among these are Hon. Wm. A Graham, Hon. W. P. Mangum, ex. Goys. Morehand and Manly, Hon. Asa Biggs, Ri. Rev. Thomas Aktinson, Rev. Alexander Wilson, D. D., Rev. Sanuel Watt, D. D., Bey C. Deems, D. D., the prevident of the North Carolina University, and various members of the board of trustees.

The next term will commence on the 16th of July.

Other particulars made known on application.

Pow. Kannas and Misson, P. Parago.

\$35,000 ! Lottery for the benefit of the STATE OF DELAWARE,

Commissioner of Deeds for all the States,